



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Docket No. 9261

Application of:

WATSON, C.

Serial No. 09/728,852

Filed: December 1, 2000

For: **METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PARTITIONING DATA FOR STORAGE IN A DATABASE**

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

With reference to the above-entitled application, and pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a), Applicant(s) hereby respectfully petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for filing an Appeal Brief for one month from November 16, 2005 to December 16, 2005.

Please charge the fee for this Petition to the account of NCR Corporation, Deposit Account No. 14 0225.

Respectfully submitted,

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